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General Assembly

Seventy-third session

09:00 — 12th plenary meeting [webcast] — General Assembly Hall

Addresses by:

His Excellency Ilir Meta, President, Republic of Albania

Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

Addresses by:

His Excellency Carl Greenidge, Vice-President, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Co-operative Republic of Guyana

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His Excellency Taban Deng Gai, First Vice-President, Republic of South Sudan

His Excellency Boyko Borissov, Prime Minister, Republic of Bulgaria

His Excellency Tuilaepa Sailele Malielegaoi, Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade, Independent State of Samoa

His Excellency Lars Løkke Rasmussen, Prime Minister, Denmark

His Excellency Charlot Salwai Tabimasmas, Prime Minister, Republic of Vanuatu

His Excellency Allen Michael Chastanet, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance, Economic Growth, Job Creation, External Affairs and the Public Service, Saint Lucia

His Excellency Mahathir bin Mohamad, Prime Minister, Malaysia

His Excellency Antoni Martí Petit, Head of Government, Principality of Andorra

His Excellency Josaia Voreqe Bainimarama, Prime Minister, Republic of Fiji

His Excellency Duško Marković, Prime Minister, Montenegro

His Excellency Pravind Kumar Jugnauth, Prime Minister, Minister for Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, and Minister for Finance and Economic Development, Republic of Mauritius

His Excellency Alexis Tsipras, Prime Minister, Hellenic Republic

His Excellency Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo Hun Sen, Prime Minister, Kingdom of Cambodia

China

Russian Federation

Germany

Tunisia

Iraq

15:00 13th plenary meeting [webcast] General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

Addresses by:

His Excellency Timothy Harris, Prime Minister, and Minister for Sustainable Development, National Security, People Empowerment and Constituency Empowerment, Saint Kitts and Nevis

His Excellency Hubert Alexander Minnis, Prime Minister, Commonwealth of Bahamas

His Excellency Thomas Motsoahae Thabane, Prime Minister, Kingdom of Lesotho

His Excellency Gaston Alphonso Browne, Prime Minister and Minister of Finance and Corporate Governance, Antigua and Barbuda

His Excellency Pavel Filip, Prime Minister, Republic of Moldova

Her Excellency Mia Amor Mottley, Prime Minister, Minister for National Security and the Civil Service, and Minister for Finance, Economic Affairs and Investment, Barbados

His Excellency Ricky Nelson Houenipwela, Prime Minister, Solomon Islands

His Excellency Khurelsukh Ukhnaa, Prime Minister, Mongolia

Ireland

Saudi Arabia

Hungary

Monaco

Australia

Kazakhstan

Myanmar

Iceland

Azerbaijan

Chad

Guinea

Libya

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Subvention to the Extraordinary Chambers in the Courts of Cambodia	
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Executive meeting	

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

29 September 2018

09:00	14th plenary meeting [webcast]	General Assembly Hall
	Continuation of the general debate - Item 8	
	Latvia	
	Papua New Guinea	
	Oman	
	India	
	Syrian Arab Republic	
	Democratic People's Republic of Korea	

Algeria
Suriname
Singapore
San Marino
Djibouti
Philippines
Austria
Bahrain
Canada
Pakistan
Brunei Darussalam
Burundi
Trinidad and Tobago
United Arab Emirates

15:00 15th plenary meeting [webcast] General Assembly Hall

Addresses by:

His Excellency Gurbanguly Berdimuhamedov, President, Turkmenistan

Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

Czech Republic
Lao People's Democratic Republic
Belize
Eritrea
Sao Tome and Principe
Senegal
Niger
Dominica
Congo
Grenada
Somalia
Benin

Informal consultations on the draft resolution on item 78 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) of the provisional agenda of regular session 73 of the General Assembly

1 to 4 October 2018

10:00 Closed Conference Room 6

15:00 Closed Conference Room 6

Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law
Fifty-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 8

The membership of the Committee is as follows: Argentina, Canada, Chile, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Ethiopia, France, Germany, Ghana, Italy, Kenya, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mexico, Nigeria, Pakistan, Portugal, Russian Federation, Singapore, Slovakia, Sudan, Trinidad and Tobago, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America and Uruguay

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First Committee
Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

15:00 - 18:00 Organizational meeting Conference Room 4

To consider its provisional programme of work and timetable and indicative timetable for thematic discussions

8 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 2nd plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 4

General debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items

The general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items will take place from 8 October 2018 to 17 October 2018.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 11 September 2018.

The list of speakers for the general debate is open until 9 October 2018, at 18:00.

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit of *8 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *13 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations, should be observed.

The thematic discussion will take place from 17 October 2018 to 31 October 2018.

The list of speakers for the thematic discussions will open on 11 October 2018 and close on 22 October 2018, at 18:00.

The time limit for the thematic discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact the secretariat of the Committee.

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee Place.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred. The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery. Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 30 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Documents: A/C.1/73/INF/1 and A/72/478

Links: e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart

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Victor Leu (First Committee Place and Draft Resolutions/Decisions Focal Point) (leu@un.org),

Lidija Komatina (Meetings Services Assistant - Room Reservations and Facilities Focal Point) (komatina@un.org),

Gerard Cianciulli (List of Speakers and List of Participants Focal Point) (cianciulli@un.org),

Xiaoyu Wang (Focal point for the First Committee, Office for Disarmament Affairs) (wangxy@un.org),

Michael Spies (Political Affairs Officer, Office for Disarmament Affairs) (spiesm@un.org)

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)
Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 1st plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 4

The opening meeting will take place on Thursday, 4 October 2018, at 10:00, in Conference Room 4.

The list of speakers opened on 17 September 2018 at 10:00.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of 10 minutes for statements by individual Member States and 15 minutes for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States.

The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Any additional queries should be directed to the secretariat of the Committee.

Document: A/72/481

Link: e-deleGATE Portal

Contact: Fourth Committee Secretariat (4thcommittee@un.org)

8 October 2018

15:00 2nd plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 4

Requests to appear as a petitioner before the Committee under the agenda item entitled Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [item 62] should be submitted online by filling out a form.

For details, please see link.

The list is now closed.

The online form should be submitted with an attachment containing a scanned copy of a letter requesting to appear as a petitioner, which must be addressed to the Chair of the Committee, specify the Non-Self-Governing Territory under which you would like to petition and be signed by hand.

For details, please see link.

Links:

https://epetition.un.org

http://www.un.org/en/decolonization/nonselfgovterritories.shtml

e-deleGATE Portal

Contact: Fourth Committee Secretariat (4thcommittee@un.org)

Second Committee
Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 Organizational meeting [webcast] Conference Room 2

The Committee will consider its proposed organization of work, the status of documentation, and to discuss the conduct of work of the Committee for the session.

Documents: A/C.2/73/L.1, A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1 and A/C.2/73/1 (to be issued)

Links: e-deleGATE Portal, PaperSmart and Website

Contacts: PaperSmart (for electronic circulation of statements) papersmart2@un.org; Ms. Cassandra Price Taveras (List of speakers; List of participants) pricec@un.org

8 October 2018

10:00 Substantive session [webcast] Conference Room 2

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the session.

The session will open with a keynote address followed by the opening of the general debate.

Additional information is available on Committee website.

The list of speakers opened on 17 September 2018 at 10:00.

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit of *seven minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *10 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations, should be observed.

Inscription to the lists of speakers for the general discussion of individual agenda items of the Committee is also open.

The time limit for the general discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The lists of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 17 September 2018.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Second Committee.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred.

The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery.

Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 25 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Documents: A/C.2/73/L.1, A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1 and A/C.2/73/1 (to be issued)

Links: e-deleGATE Portal, PaperSmart and Website

Contacts:

PaperSmart (for electronic circulation of statements) papersmart2@un.org

Cassandra Price Taveras (List of speakers; List of participants) pricec@un.org

Third Committee
Seventy-third session

2 October 2018

10:00 – 13:00 1st meeting [webcast] Conference Room 1

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the session.

The list of speakers for all items on the agenda of the Committee is open.

In accordance with established practice, the time limits of *five minutes* for individual Member States and *12 minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States during the general debate will be observed.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general discussion on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 17 September 2018.

An automated e-mail acknowledgement will be sent within one hour of receipt of the request for inscription.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Committee in writing.

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on Committee matters should be sent as soon as possible, but no later than 11:00 of the day before the meeting, to the secretariat of the Committee.

For inclusion in the list of participants, the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the e-List of Participants module in e-deleGATE.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred. The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery. Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 20 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Statements will be made available on the Third Committee PaperSmart portal only after delivery by delegations

Documents: A/C.3/73/L.1/Rev.1, A/C.3/73/L.1/Add.1, A/73/214, A/73/61-E/2018/4, A/73/211, A/73/213, A/73/220, A/73/254, A/73/292 and A/73/250

To be issued: A/C.3/73/1

Links: e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart

Contacts:

List of speakers for IGOs, Observers, UN system, specialized agencies and regional commissions (slthirdcommittee@un.org);

Room reservations for informal consultations (leonc@un.org) and PaperSmart (papersmart3@un.org)

Sixth Committee
Seventy-third session

3 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00

Trusteeship Council Chamber

Sixth Committee (Legal)

The Committee will hold its first meeting on 3 October 2018, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the session.

The list of speakers for all items on the agenda of the Committee is open.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States should be submitted by their respective focal points through the e-Speakers module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Intergovernmental organizations and entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, as well as the United Nations system, funds and programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe on the lists of speakers for the debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should submit their requests directly to the Secretariat of the Committee.

The names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE portal.

For information regarding access to the e-deleGATE portal, please contact the DGACM Helpdesk.

PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for the seventy-third session of the Committee. Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred.

The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery.

Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 30 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Representatives of Member States and of observers registered for the e-deleGATE portal of the Committee at the seventy-third session will be automatically registered for the Committee email list.

Representatives of observers not registered in the e-deleGATE portal may register for the Committee email list by sending a request to the Committee Secretariat.

The email list will be used for communicating information concerning the work of the Committee and related events.

Further background information on the Committee, including information concerning the seventy-third session, is available on the Committee's website.

The meetings of the Committee will be webcast live on UN Web TV.

Archive videos will be available on the UN Web TV dedicated committee page.

Contacts: PaperSmart (papersmart6@un.org, 917-367-9252) and Secretariat of the Committee (6thcommittee@un.org; 212-963-5331)

Committee on relations with the Host Country

1 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 289th meeting (closed) Conference Room 11

Delegations of Member States and Observers that wish to attend as observers should indicate their desire to do so in advance to the Secretary of the Committee.

The meeting will not be open to members of the press or the public.

Delegations are reminded that while any matter pertinent to the work of the Committee may be raised from the floor, they are encouraged, in accordance with the decision of the Committee adopted at its meeting 164 in March 1994, to request the formal inscription, at least 48 hours prior to the meeting, of specific items they would like to raise, keeping in mind the detailed list of topics adopted by the Committee in 1982.

Delegations are further encouraged to submit to the Secretary of the Committee any relevant documentation or written statements in advance of the meeting.

Document: A/50/26

Contact: Surya Sinha (sinhal@un.org, 917-367-4067)

Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 26 September 2018

General Assembly
Seventy-third session

[archived video]

9th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Jorge Carlos de Almeida Fonseca, President of the Republic of Cabo Verde

His Excellency Jorge Carlos de Almeida Fonseca, President of the Republic of Cabo Verde, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Majesty King Mswati III, Head of State of the Kingdom of Eswatini

His Majesty King Mswati III, Head of State of the Kingdom of Eswatini, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Petro Poroshenko, President of Ukraine

His Excellency Petro Poroshenko, President of Ukraine, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Juan Orlando Hernández Alvarado, President of the Republic of Honduras

His Excellency Juan Orlando Hernández Alvarado, President of the Republic of Honduras, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Uhuru Kenyatta, President of the Republic of Kenya

His Excellency Uhuru Kenyatta, President of the Republic of Kenya, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Taneti Maamau, President and Head of Government of the Republic of Kiribati

His Excellency Taneti Maamau, President and Head of Government of the Republic of Kiribati, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Emmerson Dambudzo Mnangagwa, President of the Republic of Zimbabwe

His Excellency Emmerson Dambudzo Mnangagwa, President of the Republic of Zimbabwe, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Andrzej Duda, President of the Republic of Poland

His Excellency Andrzej Duda, President of the Republic of Poland, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Marcelo Rebelo de Sousa, President of the Portuguese Republic

His Excellency Marcelo Rebelo de Sousa, President of the Portuguese Republic, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Salvador Sánchez Cerén, President of the Republic of El Salvador

His Excellency Salvador Sánchez Cerén, President of the Republic of El Salvador, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Baron Divavesi Waqa, President of the Republic of Nauru

His Excellency Baron Divavesi Waqa, President of the Republic of Nauru, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Evo Morales Ayma, Constitutional President of the Plurinational State of Bolivia

His Excellency Evo Morales Ayma, Constitutional President of the Plurinational State of Bolivia, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Tommy Esang Remengesau, Jr., President of the Republic of Palau

His Excellency Tommy Esang Remengesau, Jr., President of the Republic of Palau, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Nicolás Maduro Moros, President of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela

His Excellency Nicolás Maduro Moros, President of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Faustin Archange Touadera, President of the Central African Republic

His Excellency Faustin Archange Touadera, President of the Central African Republic, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

The General Assembly heard addresses by His Highness Sheikh Jaber Al-Mubarak Al-Hamad Al Sabah, Prime Minister of the State of Kuwait; His Excellency Xavier Bettel, Prime Minister of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg; His Excellency Mark Rutte, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of the Netherlands; and Her Excellency Erna Solberg, Prime Minister of Norway.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Azerbaijan and Armenia.

Thursday, 27 September 2018

Security Council

[archived video]

8363rd meeting

Non-proliferation/Democratic People's Republic of Korea

The meeting was presided over by His Excellency Michael R. Pompeo, Secretary of State of the United States of America.

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representatives of Japan and the Republic of Korea to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item.

The President, His Excellency Michael R. Pompeo, made a statement in his capacity as Secretary of State of the United States of America.

Statements were made by His Excellency Sheikh Sabah Khalid Al Hamad Al Sabah, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Kuwait; His Excellency Wang Yi, State Councilor and Minister for Foreign Affairs of China; His Excellency Jeremy Hunt, Secretary of State for Foreign and Commonwealth Affairs of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland; His Excellency Stef Blok, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Netherlands; His Excellency Workneh Gebeyehu Negewo, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ethiopia; His Excellency Jacek Czaputowicz, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Poland; His Excellency Sergey Lavrov, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation; His Excellency Jean-Yves Le Drian, Minister for Foreign Affairs of France; His Excellency Kairat Abdrakhmanov, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan; His Excellency Marcel Amon-Tanoh, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Côte d'Ivoire; His Excellency Néstor Popolizio Bardales, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Peru; His Excellency Simeon Oyono Esono Angue, Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of Equatorial Guinea; Her Excellency Margot Wallström, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Sweden; and by the Permanent Representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia.

The Council heard statements by Her Excellency Kang Kyung-wha, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Korea and His Excellency Taro Kono, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Japan.

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10th plenary meeting

Address by Her Excellency Dalia Grybauskaitė, President of the Republic of Lithuania

Her Excellency Dalia Grybauskaitė, President of the Republic of Lithuania, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Mokgweetsi Eric Keabetswe Masisi, President of the Republic of Botswana

His Excellency Mokgweetsi Eric Keabetswe Masisi, President of the Republic of Botswana, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Nicos Anastasiades, President of the Republic of Cyprus

His Excellency Nicos Anastasiades, President of the Republic of Cyprus, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Gjorge Ivanov, President of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia

His Excellency Gjorge Ivanov, President of the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Teodoro Obiang Nguema Mbasogo, President of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea

His Excellency Teodoro Obiang Nguema Mbasogo, President of the Republic of Equatorial Guinea, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Jovenel Moïse, President of the Republic of Haiti

His Excellency Jovenel Moïse, President of Republic of Haiti, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Sebastián Piñera Echeñique, President of the Republic of Chile

His Excellency Sebastián Piñera Echeñique, President of the Republic of Chile, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Julius Maada Bio, President of the Republic of Sierra Leone

His Excellency Julius Maada Bio, President of the Republic of Sierra Leone, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Mahmoud Abbas, President of the State of Palestine

His Excellency Mahmoud Abbas, President of the State of Palestine, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

The General Assembly heard addresses by His Excellency Donald Tusk, President of the European Council of the European Union; His Excellency Charles Michel, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Belgium; His Excellency Benjamin Netanyahu, Prime Minister of the State of Israel; His Excellency Joseph Muscat, Prime Minister of the Republic of Malta; His Excellency Mamuka Bakhtadze, Prime Minister of Georgia; His Excellency Nguyen Xuan Phuc, Prime Minister of the Socialist Republic of Viet Nam; His Excellency Andrew Holness, Prime Minister of Jamaica; Her Excellency Jacinda

Ardern, Prime Minister of New Zealand and His Excellency Ralph Gonsalves, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance, Economic Growth, Job Creation, External Affairs and the Public Service of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines.

11th plenary meeting — The summary of the 11th plenary meeting of the General Assembly will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/188).

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 71/323, material published under the sections below is available in *English* and *French only*.

Other meetings

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Friday, 28 September 2018

OIC Group (OIC Annual Coordination Meeting of Foreign Affairs Ministers)

10:00 - 13:00 — Closed meeting — Conference Room 2

15:00 - 18:00 — Closed meeting — Conference Room 2

Event entitled "Gender-Responsive Assemblies – An agenda for concrete action" (A/RES/72/278) (co-organized by the Inter-Parliamentary Union and the International Gender Champions Representation Impact Group)

11:30 - 13:00 — Conference Room 9

Contact: Paddy Torsney (pt@ipu.org; 212-557-5880)

High-Level Special Event to Launch the Code of Conduct Towards Achieving a World Free of Terrorism (A/RES/72/123 and A/RES/72/284) (organized by the Permanent Mission of Kazakhstan)

15:00 — Economic and Social Council Chamber

Contact: Vera Mehta (veramehta10@gmail.com)

United Nations Alliance of Civilizations Group of Friends Ministerial Meeting (A/RES/69/312) (organized by the United Nations Alliance of Civilizations (UNAOC))

15:00 - 18:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Contact: Anna Pavlyuchenko, UNAOC (annap@unops.org; 646-479-0914).

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

For the complete list of press conferences, please click on the link below
www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Forthcoming informal meetings

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Forthcoming other meetings

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Fourth session of the Assembly of the Small Island Developing States DOCK (SIDS DOCK) (A/RES/70/202) (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Seychelles)

29 September 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber

Contact: Deborah Cholmondeley (seychellesmissionun@gmail.com)

Event entitled "Non-violence in Action" (on the occasion of the International Day of Non-Violence) (A/RES/61/271) (organized by the Permanent Mission of India)

2 October 2018

10:00 - 11:30 Economic and Social Council Chamber

Contact: Permanent Mission of India (india@un.int; 212-490-9660).

International Criminal Court: Working Group on Amendments

2 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Closed Conference Room 11

High-level roundtable on "Agenda 2030 for Sustainable Development as a Catalyst for Change through Partnership: in the Run-up to the High-level Political Forum under the Auspices of the United Nations General Assembly" (A/RES/70/1) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Azerbaijan, Belarus and the Russian Federation)

3 October 2018

10:00 - 11:30 Conference Room 8

Link: Registration

Contact: Tamara Kharashun (tamara.kharashun@gmail.com; 212-772-2354; 929-230-8517)

Briefing on the Work of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs (A/RES/72/198) (organized by the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC))

3 October 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 11

Contact: Daniel Schatz (schatz@un.org; 212-963-2667)

Event entitled "Drug-free Programs: Russian NGOs' Experience" (A/RES/S-30/1 and A/RES/72/198) (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation)

3 October 2018

15:00 - 16:30 Conference Room 9

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4 October 2018

10:00 – 13:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber

Link: More information

Contact: Amine Lamrabat (lamrabat@un.org; 917-367-9456 ; 212-671-0279)

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4 October 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 12

Contact: Matteo Pasquali (pasquali@un.org; 212-963-5634)

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5 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Conference Room 9

Contact: Dmitry Yarkovich (d.yarkovich@mfa.gov.by; 917-374-3327)

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Official meetings

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General Assembly

Seventy-third session

09:00 — 14th plenary meeting [webcast] — General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

Latvia

Papua New Guinea

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15:00 15th plenary meeting [webcast] General Assembly Hall

Addresses by:

His Excellency Gurbanguly Berdimuhamedov, President, Turkmenistan

Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

Czech Republic

Lao People's Democratic Republic

Belize

Eritrea

Sao Tome and Principe

Senegal

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Other meetings

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Saturday, 29 September 2018

Fourth session of the Assembly of the Small Island Developing States DOCK (SIDS DOCK) (A/RES/70/202) (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Seychelles)

10:00 - 13:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber

Contact: Deborah Cholmondeley (seychellesmissionun@gmail.com)

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

For the complete list of press conferences, please click on the link below *www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp*.

Monday, 1 October 2018

Official meetings

General Assembly
Seventy-third session

09:00 16th plenary meeting General Assembly Hall

[webcast]

Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

Belarus

Sudan

Timor-Leste

Nicaragua

Holy See

Thailand

Tajikistan

Uzbekistan

Sweden

Maldives

Gabon

Benin

Security Council

11:30 Consultations of the whole (closed) Security Council Consultations Room

Programme of work

Other matters

The President of the Security Council for the month of October (Plurinational State of Bolivia) will provide a briefing for Member States of the United Nations which are non-members of the Council on its work for the month, on Monday, 1 October 2018, at 15:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

The President of the Security Council will also provide a briefing to the press on the programme of work for the month on 3 October 2018, at 12:30, in Room S-0237.

Delegations can view the press briefing from the United Nations Webcast.

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Office of the President of the Security Council.

For communications to be published as an official document of the Security Council, please email its text in a Microsoft Word format.

For more information, please visit the website of the Presidency of the Security Council.

Link: Website

Contact: SCAD SCSB (S-2472); dpa-scsb3@un.org and 212-963-5258.

General Assembly
Seventy-third session

Informal consultations on the draft resolution on item 78 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) of the provisional agenda of regular session 73 of the General Assembly

10:00 Closed Conference Room 6

15:00 Closed Conference Room 6

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Strategic heritage plan of the United Nations Office at Geneva	
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Executive meeting	

Committee on relations with the Host Country

10:00 - 13:00	289th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 11

Delegations of Member States and Observers that wish to attend as observers should indicate their desire to do so in advance to the Secretary of the Committee.

The meeting will not be open to members of the press or the public.

Delegations are reminded that while any matter pertinent to the work of the Committee may be raised from the floor, they are encouraged, in accordance with the decision of the Committee adopted at its meeting 164 in March 1994, to request the formal inscription, at least 48 hours prior to the meeting, of specific items they would like to raise, keeping in mind the detailed list of topics adopted by the Committee in 1982.

Delegations are further encouraged to submit to the Secretary of the Committee any relevant documentation or written statements in advance of the meeting.

Document: A/50/26

Contact: Surya Sinha (sinhal@un.org, 917-367-4067)

Security Council

Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea

15:00 to 18:00	Closed	Conference Room 7

Briefing by the United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) on the report submitted pursuant to paragraph 34 of Security Council resolution 2385 (2017)

Other matters

Informal meetings

To consult the latest list of informal meetings with real-time updates, please visit the digital Journal (https://journal.un.org/en/informals/2018-19-01).

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

High-level plenary meeting, to be known as the Nelson Mandela Peace Summit

2 October 2018

10:00 — 5th plenary meeting (resumed) [webcast] — General Assembly Hall

A high-level plenary meeting, to be known as the Nelson Mandela Peace Summit held pursuant to General Assembly resolution 72/243 of 22 December 2017.

Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of *three minutes* for statements by individual Member States and *five minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States.

Links: Website

Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law

Fifty-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 to 13:00 — Closed meeting — Conference Room 8

The membership of the Committee is as follows: Argentina, Canada, Chile, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Ethiopia, France, Germany, Ghana, Italy, Kenya, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mexico, Nigeria, Pakistan, Portugal, Russian Federation, Singapore, Slovakia, Sudan, Trinidad and Tobago, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America and Uruguay

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First Committee

Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

15:00 - 18:00 — Organizational meeting — Conference Room 4

To consider its provisional programme of work and timetable and indicative timetable for thematic discussions

8 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 — 2nd plenary meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 4

General debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items

The general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items will take place from 8 October 2018 to 17 October 2018.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 11 September 2018.

The list of speakers for the general debate is open until 9 October 2018, at 18:00.

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit of *8 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *13 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations, should be observed.

The thematic discussion will take place from 17 October 2018 to 31 October 2018.

The list of speakers for the thematic discussions will open on 11 October 2018 and close on 22 October 2018, at 18:00.

The time limit for the thematic discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact the secretariat of the Committee.

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee Place.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred. The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery. Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 30 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Documents: A/C.1/73/INF/1 and A/72/478

Links: e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart

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Lidija Komatina (Meetings Services Assistant - Room Reservations and Facilities Focal Point) (komatina@un.org),

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Michael Spies (Political Affairs Officer, Office for Disarmament Affairs) (spiesm@un.org)

Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)
Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 1st plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 4

The opening meeting will take place on Thursday, 4 October 2018, at 10:00, in Conference Room 4.

The list of speakers opened on 17 September 2018 at 10:00.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of 10 minutes for statements by individual Member States and 15 minutes for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States.

The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Any additional queries should be directed to the secretariat of the Committee.

Document: A/72/481

Link: e-deleGATE Portal

Contact: Fourth Committee Secretariat (4thcommittee@un.org)

8 October 2018

15:00 2nd plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 4

Requests to appear as a petitioner before the Committee under the agenda item entitled Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [item 62] should be submitted online by filling out a form.

For details, please see link.

The list is now closed.

The online form should be submitted with an attachment containing a scanned copy of a letter requesting to appear as a petitioner, which must be addressed to the Chair of the Committee, specify the Non-Self-Governing Territory under which you would like to petition and be signed by hand.

For details, please see link.

Links:

https://epetition.un.org

http://www.un.org/en/decolonization/nonselfgovterritories.shtml

e-deleGATE Portal

Contact: Fourth Committee Secretariat (4thcommittee@un.org)

Second Committee
Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 Organizational meeting [webcast] Conference Room 2

The Committee will consider its proposed organization of work, the status of documentation, and to discuss the conduct of work of the Committee for the session.

Documents: A/C.2/73/L.1, A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1 and A/C.2/73/1 (to be issued)

Links: e-deleGATE Portal, PaperSmart and Website

Contacts: PaperSmart (for electronic circulation of statements) papersmart2@un.org; Ms. Cassandra Price Taveras (List of speakers; List of participants) pricec@un.org

8 October 2018

10:00 Substantive session [webcast] Conference Room 2

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the session.

The session will open with a keynote address followed by the opening of the general debate.

Additional information is available on Committee website.

The list of speakers opened on 17 September 2018 at 10:00.

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit of *seven minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *10 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations, should be observed.

Inscription to the lists of speakers for the general discussion of individual agenda items of the Committee is also open.

The time limit for the general discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The lists of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 17 September 2018.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Second Committee.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred.

The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery.

Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 25 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Documents: A/C.2/73/L.1, A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1 and A/C.2/73/1 (to be issued)

Links: e-deleGATE Portal, PaperSmart and Website

Contacts:

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Cassandra Price Taveras (List of speakers; List of participants) pricec@un.org

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Third Committee
Seventy-third session

2 October 2018

10:00 – 13:00 1st meeting [webcast] Conference Room 1

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the session.

The list of speakers for all items on the agenda of the Committee is open.

In accordance with established practice, the time limits of *five minutes* for individual Member States and *12 minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States during the general debate will be observed.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general discussion on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 17 September 2018.

An automated e-mail acknowledgement will be sent within one hour of receipt of the request for inscription.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Committee in writing.

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on Committee matters should be sent as soon as possible, but no later than 11:00 of the day before the meeting, to the secretariat of the Committee.

For inclusion in the list of participants, the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the e-List of Participants module in e-deleGATE.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred. The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery. Delegations are kindly reminded to provide

20 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Statements will be made available on the Third Committee PaperSmart portal only after delivery by delegations

Documents: A/C.3/73/L.1/Rev.1, A/C.3/73/L.1/Add.1, A/73/214, A/73/61-E/2018/4, A/73/211, A/73/213, A/73/220, A/73/254, A/73/292, A/73/250 and A/C.3/73/1

To be issued: A/C.3/73/L.1/Add.1/Rev.1

Links: PaperSmart; e-deleGATE Portal and Website

Contacts:

List of speakers for IGOs, Observers, UN system, specialized agencies and regional commissions (leonc@un.org).

Room reservations for informal consultations (leonc@un.org) and PaperSmart (papersmart3@un.org)

Sixth Committee
Seventy-third session

3 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Sixth Committee (Legal)

The Committee will hold its first meeting on 3 October 2018, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the session.

The list of speakers for all items on the agenda of the Committee is open.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States should be submitted by their respective focal points through the e-Speakers module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Intergovernmental organizations and entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, as well as the United Nations system, funds and programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe on the lists of speakers for the debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should submit their requests directly to the Secretariat of the Committee.

The names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE portal.

For information regarding access to the e-deleGATE portal, please contact the DGACM Helpdesk.

PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for the seventy-third session of the Committee. Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred.

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Representatives of Member States and of observers registered for the e-deleGATE portal of the Committee at the seventy-third session will be automatically registered for the Committee email list.

Representatives of observers not registered in the e-deleGATE portal may register for the Committee email list by sending a request to the Committee Secretariat.

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Further background information on the Committee, including information concerning the seventy-third session, is available on the Committee's website.

The meetings of the Committee will be webcast live on UN Web TV.

Archive videos will be available on the UN Web TV dedicated committee page.

Contacts: PaperSmart (papersmart6@un.org, 917-367-9252) and Secretariat of the Committee (6thcommittee@un.org; 212-963-5331)

Summary of official meetings

Thursday, 27 September 2018

General Assembly
Seventy-third session

[archived video]

11th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Peter Christian, President and Head of Government of the Federated States of Micronesia

His Excellency Peter Christian, President and Head of Government of the Federated States of Micronesia, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency José Mário Vaz, President of the Republic of Guinea-Bissau

His Excellency José Mário Vaz, President of the Republic of Guinea-Bissau, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Azali Assoumani, President of the Union of the Comoros

His Excellency Azali Assoumani, President of the Union of the Comoros, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Rivo Rakotovao, President ad interim of the Republic of Madagascar

His Excellency Rivo Rakotovao, President ad interim of the Republic of Madagascar, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

The General Assembly heard addresses by His Excellency Muhammad Jusuf Kalla, Vice-President of the Republic of Indonesia; His Excellency Daniel Kablan Duncan, Vice-President of the Republic of Côte d'Ivoire; Her Excellency Epsy Campbell Barr, Vice-President of the Republic of Costa Rica; His Excellency K.P. Sharma Oli, Prime Minister of the Federal Democratic Republic of Nepal; His Excellency Enele Sosene Sopoaga, Prime Minister of Tuvalu; Her Excellency Sheikh Hasina, Prime Minister of the People's Republic of Bangladesh; His Excellency Pedro Sánchez Pérez-Castejón, President of the Government of the Kingdom of Spain; Her Excellency Ana Brnabić, Prime Minister of the Republic of Serbia; His Excellency Ruhakana Rugunda, Prime Minister of the Republic of Uganda; and His Excellency Lyonpo Tshering Wangchuk, Acting Head of Government of the Kingdom of Bhutan.

Statements were made by His Excellency Ismael Ould Cheikh Ahmed, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Mauritania; Her Excellency Aurelia Frick, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Justice and Culture of Liechtenstein; His Excellency Lejeune Mbella Mbella, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Cameroon; His Excellency Augustine Philip Mahiga, Minister for Foreign Affairs and East African Cooperation of the United Republic of Tanzania; His Excellency Mahmoud Ali Youssouf, Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of Djibouti; His Excellency Workineh Gebeyehu Negewo, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ethiopia; and His Excellency Robert Dussey, Minister of State, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Cooperation and Regional Integration of Togo.

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran made a statement in the exercise of the right of reply.

Friday, 28 September 2018

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

[archived video]

12th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Ilir Meta, President of Republic of Albania

His Excellency Ilir Meta, President of the Republic of Albania, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

The General Assembly heard addresses by His Excellency Carl Greenidge, Vice-President, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Co-operative Republic of Guyana; His Excellency Taban Deng Gai, First Vice-President of the Republic of South Sudan; His Excellency Boyko Borissov, Prime Minister of the Republic of Bulgaria; and His

Excellency Tuilaepa Sailele Malielegaoi, Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade of the Independent State of Samoa.

His Excellency Wang Yi, State Councilor and Minister for Foreign Affairs of China, made a statement.

The General Assembly heard addresses by His Excellency Charlot Salwai Tabimasmas, Prime Minister of the Republic of Vanuatu; His Excellency Allen Michael Chastanet, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance, Economic Growth, Job Creation, External Affairs and the Public Service of Saint Lucia; His Excellency Mahathir bin Mohamad, Prime Minister of Malaysia; His Excellency Antoni Martí Petit, Head of Government of the Principality of Andorra; His Excellency Josaia Voreqe Bainimarama, Prime Minister of the Republic of Fiji; His Excellency Alexis Tsipras, Prime Minister of the Hellenic Republic; His Excellency Pravind Kumar Jugnauth, Prime Minister, Minister for Home Affairs, External Communications and National Development Unit, and Minister for Finance and Economic Development of the Republic of Mauritius; His Excellency Duško Marković, Prime Minister of Montenegro; and His Excellency Samdech Akka Moha Sena Padei Techo Hun Sen, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Cambodia.

Statements were made by His Excellency Sergey Lavrov, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation; His Excellency Heiko Maas, Federal Minister for Foreign Affairs of Germany; His Excellency Khemais Jhinaoui, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Tunisia; His Excellency Ibrahim Abdulkarim al-Jafari, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Iraq; and Her Excellency Ulla Tørnæs, Minister for Development Cooperation of Denmark.

13th plenary meeting

The summary of the 13th plenary meeting of the General Assembly will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/189).

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Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

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Forthcoming other meetings

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Event entitled "Non-violence in Action" (on the occasion of the International Day of Non-Violence) (A/RES/61/271) (organized by the Permanent Mission of India)

2 October 2018

10:00 - 11:30 Economic and Social Council Chamber

Contact: Permanent Mission of India (india@un.int; 212-490-9660).

International Criminal Court: Working Group on Amendments

2 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Closed Conference Room 11

High-level roundtable on "Agenda 2030 for Sustainable Development as a Catalyst for Change through Partnership: in the Run-up to the High-level Political Forum under the Auspices of the United Nations General Assembly" (A/RES/70/1) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Azerbaijan, Belarus and the Russian Federation)

3 October 2018

10:00 - 11:30 Conference Room 8

Link: Registration

Contact: Tamara Kharashun (tamara.kharashun@gmail.com; 212-772-2354; 929-230-8517)

Briefing on the Work of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs (A/RES/72/198) (organized by the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC))

3 October 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 11

Contact: Daniel Schatz (schatz@un.org; 212-963-2667)

Event entitled "Drug-free Programs: Russian NGOs' Experience" (A/RES/S-30/1 and A/RES/72/198) (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation)

3 October 2018

15:00 - 16:30 Conference Room 9

Contact: Elena Mukhametzyanova (elenamfarussia@yahoo.com; 212-535-4387)

Event entitled "Celebrating Older Human Rights Champions" on the occasion of the Observance of the International Day of Older Persons (1st October) (A/RES/45/106) (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), the NGO Committee on Ageing, the Group of Friends for Older Persons, the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) and the Permanent Mission of Argentina)

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10:00 – 13:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber

Link: More information

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General Assembly

Seventy-third session

High-level plenary meeting, to be known as the Nelson Mandela Peace Summit

10:00 — 5th plenary meeting (resumed) [webcast] — General Assembly Hall

A high-level plenary meeting, to be known as the Nelson Mandela Peace Summit held pursuant to General Assembly resolution 72/243 of 22 December 2017.

Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of *three minutes* for statements by individual Member States and *five minutes* for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States.

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Informal consultations on the draft resolution on item 78 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) of the provisional agenda of regular session 73 of the General Assembly

10:00	Closed	Conference Room 6
15:00	Closed	Conference Room 6

Third Committee
Seventy-third session

10:00 - 13:00	1st meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 1

Election of the officers of the Main Committees - Item 5

Organization of work

Programme planning - Item 137

Social development - Item 28

Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly - Item 28 (a)

Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family - Item 28 (b)

Literacy for life: shaping future agendas - Item 28 (c)

Introductory statement(s), followed by question time

Introductory statement, followed by an interactive dialogue

General discussion

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the session.

Documents: A/C.3/73/L.1/Rev.1, A/C.3/73/L.1/Add.1, A/73/214, A/73/61-E/2018/4, A/73/211, A/73/213, A/73/220, A/73/254, A/73/292, A/73/250, A/C.3/73/1 and A/C.3/73/L.1/Add.1/Rev.1

15:00 - 18:00	2nd meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 1

Social development - Item 28

Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly - Item 28 (a)

Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family - Item 28 (b)

Literacy for life: shaping future agendas - Item 28 (c)

Continuation of the general discussion

The list of speakers for all items on the agenda of the Committee is open.

In accordance with established practice, the time limits of 5 minutes for individual Member States and 12 minutes for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States during the general debate will be observed.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general discussion on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system.

An automated e-mail acknowledgement will be sent within one hour of receipt of the request for inscription.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are requested to contact the secretariat in writing.

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on Committee matters should be sent as soon as possible, but no later than 11:00 of the day before the meeting, to the secretariat of the Committee.

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Statements will be made available on the Third Committee PaperSmart portal only after delivery by delegations.

Documents: A/73/61-E/2018/4, A/73/211, A/73/213, A/73/292, A/73/220, A/73/254 and A/73/214

Links: PaperSmart; e-deleGATE Portal, Website and More Info

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List of speakers for IGOs, Observers, UN system, specialized agencies and regional commissions (lconc@un.org).

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Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Pattern of conferences	
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Board of Auditors	
	Executive meeting	

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

Informal consultations on the draft resolution on item 78 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea) of the provisional agenda of regular session 73 of the General Assembly

3 and 4 October 2018

10:00	Closed	Conference Room 6
15:00	Closed	Conference Room 6

Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law

Fifty-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8

The membership of the Committee is as follows: Argentina, Canada, Chile, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Ethiopia, France, Germany, Ghana, Italy, Kenya, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mexico, Nigeria, Pakistan, Portugal, Russian Federation, Singapore, Slovakia, Sudan, Trinidad and Tobago, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America and Uruguay

First Committee

Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

15:00 - 18:00	Organizational meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 4

To consider its provisional programme of work and timetable and indicative timetable for thematic discussions

8 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00	2nd plenary meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 4

The general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items will take place from 8 October 2018 to 17 October 2018.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 11 September 2018.

The list of speakers for the general debate is open until 9 October 2018, at 18:00.

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit of *8 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *13 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations, should be observed.

The thematic discussion will take place from 17 October 2018 to 31 October 2018.

The list of speakers for the thematic discussions will open on 11 October 2018 and close on 22 October 2018, at 18:00.

The time limit for the thematic discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact the secretariat of the Committee.

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee Place.

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Links: e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart

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Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)
Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 — 1st plenary meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 4

The list of speakers opened on 17 September 2018 at 10:00.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of 10 minutes for statements by individual Member States and 15 minutes for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States. The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Any additional queries should be directed to the secretariat of the Committee.

Documents: A/C.4/73/L.1, A/C.4/73/INF.4, A/C.4/73/1 and A/C.4/73/INF.1

Link: e-deleGATE Portal

Contact: Fourth Committee Secretariat (4thcommittee@un.org)

8 October 2018

15:00 — 2nd plenary meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 4

Requests to appear as a petitioner before the Committee under the agenda item entitled Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [item 62] should be submitted online by filling out a form.

For details, please see link.

The list is now closed.

The online form should be submitted with an attachment containing a scanned copy of a letter requesting to appear as a petitioner, which must be addressed to the Chair of the Committee, specify the Non-Self-Governing Territory under which you would like to petition and be signed by hand.

For details, please see link.

Links: https://epetition.un.org

http://www.un.org/en/decolonization/nonselfgovterritories.shtml

e-deleGATE Portal

Contact: Fourth Committee Secretariat (4thcommittee@un.org)

Second Committee
Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 - 10:45 — Organizational meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 2

The Committee will consider its proposed organization of work, the status of documentation, and to discuss the conduct of work of the Committee for the session.

Documents: A/C.2/73/1, A/C.2/73/L.1 and A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1/Rev.1

10:45 - 11:30 Briefing Conference Room 2

Immediately following the meeting of the Committee, there will be a technical briefing by the Secretariat on the process of the programme budget implications and guidelines for editing of draft proposals.

Links: e-deleGATE Portal, PaperSmart and Website

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8 October 2018

10:00 Substantive session [webcast] Conference Room 2

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the session.

The session will open with a keynote address followed by the opening of the general debate.

Additional information is available on Committee website.

The list of speakers opened on 17 September 2018 at 10:00.

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit of *seven minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *10 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations, should be observed.

Inscription to the lists of speakers for the general discussion of individual agenda items of the Committee is also open.

The time limit for the general discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The lists of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 17 September 2018.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Second Committee.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred.

The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery.

Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 25 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Documents: A/C.2/73/L.1, A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1 and A/C.2/73/1 (to be issued)

Links: e-deleGATE Portal, PaperSmart and Website

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Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

9 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Conference Room 3

The Committee will hold its first meeting on 9 October 2018 at 10:00 in the Conference Room 3.

The Committee will first consider the organization of its work and the allocation of agenda items.

The provisional programme of work of the Committee for the session as well as background information on the Committee and links to official documentation to be considered are available on the Committee's website.

The list of speakers for the general discussion on all agenda items before the Committee is open.

Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Committee in writing.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Link: Website

Sixth Committee
Seventy-third session

3 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Sixth Committee (Legal)

The Committee will hold its first meeting on 3 October 2018, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the session.

The list of speakers for all items on the agenda of the Committee is open.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States should be submitted by their respective focal points through the e-Speakers module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Intergovernmental organizations and entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, as well as the United Nations system, funds and programmes, specialized

agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe on the lists of speakers for the debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should submit their requests directly to the Secretariat of the Committee.

The names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE portal.

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The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery.

Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 30 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

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Representatives of observers not registered in the e-deleGATE portal may register for the Committee email list by sending a request to the Committee Secretariat.

The email list will be used for communicating information concerning the work of the Committee and related events.

Further background information on the Committee, including information concerning the seventy-third session, is available on the Committee's website.

The meetings of the Committee will be webcast live on UN Web TV.

Archive videos will be available on the UN Web TV dedicated committee page.

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Summary of official meetings

Friday, 28 September 2018

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

[archived video]

13th plenary meeting — Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

The General Assembly heard addresses by His Excellency Timothy Harris, Prime Minister, Minister for Sustainable Development, National Security, People Empowerment and Constituency Empowerment of Saint Kitts and Nevis; His

Excellency Hubert Alexander Minnis, Prime Minister of the Commonwealth of the Bahamas; His Excellency Thomas Motsoahae Thabane, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Lesotho; His Excellency Gaston Alphonso Browne, Prime Minister and Minister for Finance and Corporate Governance of Antigua and Barbuda; His Excellency Pavel Filip, Prime Minister of the Republic of Moldova; Her Excellency Mia Amor Mottley, Prime Minister, Minister for National Security and the Civil Service, and Minister for Finance, Economic Affairs and Investment of Barbados; His Excellency Ricky Nelson Houenipwela, Prime Minister of Solomon Islands; and His Excellency Khurelsukh Ukhnaa, Prime Minister of Mongolia.

Statements were made by His Excellency Simon Coveney, Deputy Prime Minister of Ireland; His Excellency Adel Ahmed Al-Jubeir, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Saudi Arabia; His Excellency Péter Szijjártó, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade of Hungary; His Excellency Gilles Tonelli, State Counsellor, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Monaco; Her Excellency Marise Payne, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Australia; His Excellency Kairat Abdrakhmanov, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan; His Excellency Kyaw Tint Swe, Union Minister for the Office of the State Counsellor of Myanmar; His Excellency Gudlaugur Thór Thórdarson, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Iceland; His Excellency Elmar Maharram oglu Mammadyarov, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Azerbaijan; His Excellency Mahamat Zene Cherif, Minister for Foreign Affairs, African Integration and International Cooperation of Chad; His Excellency Mamadi Touré, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Guineans Living Abroad of Guinea; and His Excellency Mohamed Siala, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Libya.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Qatar, Indonesia and Saudi Arabia.

Saturday, 29 September 2018

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

[archived video]

14th plenary meeting — Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

Statements were made by His Excellency Edgars Rinkēvičs, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Latvia; His Excellency Rimbink Pato, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Trade of Papua New Guinea; His Excellency Yousuf bin Alawi bin Abdallah, Minister Responsible for Foreign Affairs of Oman; Her Excellency Sushma Swaraj, Minister for External Affairs of India; His Excellency Walid Al-Moualem, Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Expatriates of the Syrian Arab Republic; His Excellency Ri Yong Ho, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea; His Excellency Abdelkader Messahel, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Algeria; Her Excellency Yldiz Pollack-Beigle, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Suriname; His Excellency Vivian Balakrishnan, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Singapore; His Excellency Nicola Renzi, Minister for Foreign and Political Affairs and Justice of San Marino; His Excellency Alan Peter Cayetano, Secretary for Foreign Affairs of the Philippines; Her Excellency Karin Kneissl, Federal Minister for Europe, Integration and Foreign Affairs of Austria; His Excellency Shaikh Khalid Bin Ahmed Al-Khalifa, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Bahrain; His Excellency Ezéchiel Nibigira, Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of Burundi; His Excellency Dato Erywan Pehin Yusof, Second Minister for Foreign Affairs of Brunei Darussalam;

His Excellency Makhdoom Shah Mahmood Hussain Qureshi, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Pakistan; His Excellency Denis Moses, Minister for Foreign and CARICOM Affairs of Trinidad and Tobago; and His Highness Sheikh Abdullah Bin Zayed Al Nahyan, Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of the United Arab Emirates.

15th plenary meeting — Address by His Excellency Gurbanguly Berdimuhamedov, President of Turkmenistan

His Excellency Gurbanguly Berdimuhamedov, President of Turkmenistan, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

tatements were made by His Excellency Jan Hamáček, First Deputy Prime Minister, Minister for Interior in charge of Ministry for Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic; His Excellency Saleumxay Kommasith, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Lao People's Democratic Republic; His Excellency Wilfred Elrington, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Foreign Trade of Belize; His Excellency Osman Mohammed Saleh, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Eritrea; His Excellency Urbino José Gonçalves Botelho, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Communities of Sao Tome and Principe; His Excellency Sidiki Kaba, Minister for Foreign Affairs and of Senegalese Living Abroad of Senegal; His Excellency Kalla Ankourao, Minister for Foreign Affairs, Cooperation, African Integration and of Nigeriens Living Abroad of the Niger; Her Excellency Francine Baron, Minister for Foreign Affairs and CARICOM Affairs of Dominica; His Excellency Jean-Claude Gakosso, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Congolese Living Abroad of the Congo; His Excellency Peter David, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Labour of Grenada; His Excellency Ahmed Awad Isse, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Somalia; and His Excellency Alpha Barry, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Burkina Faso.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Qatar, India, the United Arab Emirates, Bahrain and Pakistan.

Monday, 1 October 2018

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

[archived video]

16th plenary meeting — Continuation of the general debate - Item 8

Statements were made by His Excellency Vladimir Makei, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Belarus; His Excellency Eldirdiri Mohamed Ahmed, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Sudan; His Excellency Denis Ronaldo Moncada Colindres, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Nicaragua; His Excellency Archbishop Paul Richard Gallagher, Secretary for Relations with States of the Holy See; His Excellency Virasakdi Futrakul, Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs of Thailand; His Excellency Mahmadamin Mahmadaminov, Chair of Delegation of Tajikistan; His Excellency Bakhtiyor Ibragimov, Chair of Delegation of Uzbekistan; His Excellency Michel Xavier Biang, Chair of Delegation of Gabon; His Excellency Olof Skoog, Chair of Delegation of Sweden; His Excellency Marc-André Blanchard, Chair of Delegation of Canada; His Excellency Jean-Claude Felix Do Rego, Chair of Delegation of Benin; Her Excellency Maria Helena Pires, Chair of Delegation of Timor-Leste; and His Excellency Ali Nasser Mohamed, Chair of Delegation of the Maldives.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Armenia, Vanuatu, the United Arab Emirates, Azerbaijan, Indonesia, Saudi Arabia and the Syrian Arab Republic.

The President made a statement.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 8.

Committee on relations with the Host Country

289th meeting

The Chairman made a statement.

Consideration of and recommendations on issues arising in connection with the implementation of the Agreement between the United Nations and the United States of America regarding the Headquarters of the United Nations, and question of privileges and immunities: Convention on the Privileges and Immunities of the United Nations and other relevant instruments

Statements were made by the representatives of the Russian Federation, Cuba, the People's Republic of China, the United States of America, as well as by the observers of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Syrian Arab Republic and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

Host country activities: activities to assist members of the United Nations community

Statements were made by the representatives of the United States of America, the Russian Federation, the People's Republic of China, as well as by the observer of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea.

The Chairman made a statement.

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Group of 77 (on Oceans and the Law of the Sea)

09:00 - 10:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 8

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room D

Group of 77 (on Third Committee and related matters)

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room A

Event entitled "Non-violence in Action" (on the occasion of the International Day of Non-Violence) (A/RES/61/271) (organized by the Permanent Mission of India)

10:00 - 11:30 [webcast] Economic and Social Council Chamber

International Criminal Court (Working Group on Amendments)

10:00 - 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 11

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

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High-level roundtable on "Agenda 2030 for Sustainable Development as a Catalyst for Change through Partnership: in the Run-up to the High-level Political Forum under the Auspices of the United Nations General Assembly" (A/RES/70/1) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Azerbaijan, Belarus and the Russian Federation)

3 October 2018

10:00 - 11:30 Conference Room 8

Link: Registration

Contact: Tamara Kharashun (tamara.kharashun@gmail.com; 212-772-2354; 929-230-8517)

Briefing on the Work of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs (A/RES/72/198) (organized by the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC))

3 October 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 11

Contact: Daniel Schatz (schatz@un.org; 212-963-2667)

Event entitled "Drug-free Programs: Russian NGOs' Experience" (A/RES/S-30/1 and A/RES/72/198) (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation)

3 October 2018

15:00 - 16:30 Conference Room 9

Contact: Elena Mukhametzyanova (elenamfarussia@yahoo.com; 212-535-4387)

Event entitled "Celebrating Older Human Rights Champions" on the occasion of the Observance of the International Day of Older Persons (1st October) (A/RES/45/106) (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), the NGO Committee on Ageing, the Group of Friends for Older Persons, the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) and the Permanent Mission of Argentina)

4 October 2018

10:00 – 13:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber

Link: More information

Contact: Amine Lamrabat (lamrabat@un.org; 917-367-9456; 212-671-0279)

Briefing on the Preparations for the fourteenth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (A/RES/72/192) (co-organized by Permanent Mission of Japan and the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC))

4 October 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 12

Contact: Matteo Pasquali (pasquali@un.org; 212-963-5634)

Briefing on the work of the Inter-Agency Coordination Group Against Trafficking in Persons (ICAT) (A/RES/72/195) (co-organized by the ICAT and the Permanent Mission of Belarus)

5 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Conference Room 9

Contact: Dmitry Yarkovich (d.yarkovich@mfa.gov.by; 917-374-3327)

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	Adoption of the agenda	
	Briefings by Chairs of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council	
Followed by	Consultations of the whole (closed)	Security Council Consultations Room
	Democratic Republic of the Congo	
	Other matters	
15:00	8365th meeting [webcast]	Security Council Chamber
	Adoption of the agenda	
	Maintenance of international peace and security	
	Document: S/2018/807	
Followed by	8366th meeting [webcast]	Security Council Chamber
	Adoption of the agenda	
	Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan	

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Link: Website

Contact: SCAD SCSB (S-2472); dpa-scsb3@un.org and 212-963-5258.

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10:00	Closed	Conference Room 6
15:00	Closed	Conference Room 6

Third Committee

Seventy-third session

10:00 - 13:00	3rd meeting [webcast]	Conference Room 1

Social development - Item 28

Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly - Item 28 (a)

Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family - Item 28 (b)

Literacy for life: shaping future agendas - Item 28 (c)

Continuation of the general discussion

Documents: A/73/214, A/73/61-E/2018/4, A/73/211, A/73/213, A/73/220, A/73/254 and A/73/292

15:00 4th meeting [webcast] Conference Room 1

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Literacy for life: shaping future agendas - Item 28 (c)

Continuation and conclusion of the general discussion

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Statements will be made available on the Third Committee PaperSmart portal only after delivery by delegations.

Documents: A/73/61-E/2018/4, A/73/214, A/73/211, A/73/213, A/73/220, A/73/254, A/73/292 and A/73/211/Rev.1

Links: e-deleGATE Portal, List of Special Procedure Mandate Holders invited to address the Third Committee in its 73rd session; Website and PaperSmart

Contacts:

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Sixth Committee
Seventy-third session

10:00 - 13:00 1st plenary meeting [webcast] Trusteeship Council Chamber

Organization of work

Measures to eliminate international terrorism - Item 111

Sixth Committee (Legal)

Documents: A/C.6/73/1, A/C.6/73/L.1 and A/73/125

15:00 - 18:00 2nd plenary meeting [webcast] Trusteeship Council Chamber

Measures to eliminate international terrorism - Item 111

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Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States should be submitted by their respective focal points through the e-Speakers module on the e-deleGATE portal.

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The names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE portal.

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Representatives of observers not registered in the e-deleGATE portal may register for the Committee email list by sending a request to the Committee Secretariat.

The email list will be used for communicating information concerning the work of the Committee and related events.

Further background information on the Committee, including information concerning the seventy-third session, is available on the Committee's website.

The meetings of the Committee will be webcast live on UN Web TV.

Archive videos will be available on the UN Web TV dedicated committee page.

Document: A/73/125

Links: PaperSmart and Website

Contacts: Secretariat of the Committee (6thcommittee@un.org; 212-963-5331); Accessibility (prepwork@un.org; 212-963-7349 and PaperSmart (papersmart6@un.org, 917-367-9252)

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 - 13:00 Closed meeting — Conference Room 10

Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council during its 2018 session: Report of the Secretary-General

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10:00 Closed — Conference Room 6

15:00 Closed — Conference Room 6

Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law

Fifty-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting — Conference Room 8

The membership of the Committee is as follows: Argentina, Canada, Chile, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Ethiopia, France, Germany, Ghana, Italy, Kenya, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mexico, Nigeria, Pakistan, Portugal, Russian Federation, Singapore, Slovakia, Sudan, Trinidad and Tobago, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America and Uruguay

First Committee
Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

15:00 - 18:00 Organizational meeting [webcast] Conference Room 4

To consider its provisional programme of work and timetable and indicative timetable for thematic discussions

16:00 Technical briefing

Immediately following the meeting of the Committee, there will be a technical briefing by the Secretariat on the process of the programme budget implications of draft proposals and on the e-deleGATE portal, including its e-sponsorship and e-speakers tools.

Documents: A/C.1/73/INF/1, A/C.1/73/INF/4, A/C.1/73/1, A/C.1/73/CRP.1 and A/C.1/73/CRP.2

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8 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 2nd plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 4

General debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items (from 93 to 108)

The general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items will take place from 8 October 2018 to 17 October 2018.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 11 September 2018.

The list of speakers for the general debate is open until 9 October 2018, at 18:00.

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit of *8 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *13 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations, should be observed.

The thematic discussion will take place from 17 October 2018 to 31 October 2018.

The list of speakers for the thematic discussions will open on 11 October 2018 and close on 22 October 2018, at 18:00.

The time limit for the thematic discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact the secretariat of the Committee.

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee Place.

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Links: e-deleGATE Portal and PaperSmart

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Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)
Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 1st plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 4

The list of speakers opened on 17 September 2018 at 10:00.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of 10 minutes for statements by individual Member States and 15 minutes for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States.

The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Any additional queries should be directed to the secretariat of the Committee.

Documents: A/C.4/73/L.1, A/C.4/73/INF/4, A/C.4/73/1 and A/C.4/73/INF/1

Link: e-deleGATE Portal

Contact: Fourth Committee Secretariat (4thcommittee@un.org)

Second Committee
Seventy-third session

4 October 2018

10:00 - 10:45 Organizational meeting [webcast] Conference Room 2

The Committee will consider its proposed organization of work, the status of documentation, and to discuss the conduct of work of the Committee for the session.

Documents: A/C.2/73/1, A/C.2/73/L.1 and A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1/Rev.1

10:45 - 11:30 Briefing Conference Room 2

Immediately following the meeting of the Committee, there will be a technical briefing by the Secretariat on the process of the programme budget implications and guidelines for editing of draft proposals.

Links: e-deleGATE Portal, PaperSmart and Website

Contacts: Ms. Terri Olvida (olvida@un.org), Ms. Mary Constable (constablem@un.org), Mr. Jose Rene Tanoy (tanoy@un.org), Ms. Cassandra Price Taveras (List of speakers; List of participants) (pricec@un.org) and PaperSmart (for electronic circulation of statements) (papersmart2@un.org)

8 October 2018

10:00 Substantive session [webcast] Conference Room 2

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the session.

The session will open with a keynote address followed by the opening of the general debate.

Additional information is available on Committee website.

Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers for the general debate is open.

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit of *seven minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *10 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations, should be observed.

Inscription to the lists of speakers for the general discussion of individual agenda items of the Committee is also open.

The time limit for the general discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The lists of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 17 September 2018.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies

and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Second Committee.

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Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on Committee matters should be sent as soon as possible, but no later than 17:00 of the day before the meeting, to the secretariat of the Committee.

Documents: A/C.2/73/1, A/C.2/73/L.1and A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1/Rev.1

Links: e-deleGATE Portal, PaperSmart and Website

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Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session

9 October 2018

10:00 Conference Room 3

The Committee will hold its first meeting on 9 October 2018, at 10:00, in the Conference Room 3.

The Committee will first consider the organization of its work and the allocation of agenda items.

The provisional programme of work of the Committee for the session as well as background information on the Committee and links to official documentation to be considered are available on the Committee's website.

The list of speakers for the general discussion on all agenda items before the Committee is open.

Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Committee in writing.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal

Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 2 October 2018

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

[archived video]

5th plenary meeting (resumed)

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/73/367/Add.1) - Item 140

The General Assembly took note that Guinea-Bissau has made the payment necessary to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter (A/73/367/Add.1).

Peacebuilding and sustaining peace: High-level plenary meeting of the General Assembly to be known as the Nelson Mandela Peace Summit - Item 66

The General Assembly resumed its high-level plenary meeting to be known as the Nelson Mandela Peace Summit.

Statements were made by His Excellency Vladimir Makei, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Belarus; His Excellency Pradeep Kumar Gyaluwali, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Nepal; His Excellency Paul Oquist, Minister, Private Secretary for National Policy of the Presidency of Nicaragua; the representatives of Burkina Faso, Eswatini, Jordan, Benin, Cambodia, the United Arab Emirates, Thailand, Italy, Myanmar, the Philippines, Oman, Ukraine, Lithuania, Latvia, Pakistan, Burundi, Chile, the United States, Poland, Germany, the Syrian Arab Republic, Chad, Iraq and Ethiopia.

Statements were made by the observers of the Observer States of the Holy See and Palestine.

Statements were made by the observers of the International Development Law Organization, the International Institute for Democracy and Electoral Assistance, the Inter-Parliamentary Union, the South Centre, the Organization of Islamic Cooperation and the International Organization of La Francophonie.

With the consent of the General Assembly to speak at this meeting, the representative of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations made a statement.

The President made a statement.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 66.

Third Committee

Seventy-third session

[archived video]

1st meeting

The Chair of the Committee, His Excellency Mahmoud Saikal (Afghanistan) opened the meeting and made a statement.

Election of the officers of the Main Committees - Item 5

The Committee elected, by acclamation, Ms. Lahya Itedhimbwa Shikongo of Namibia as Vice-Chair of the Third Committee at the seventy-third session of the General Assembly.

Organization of work

The Chair drew the Committee's attention to the note by the secretariat on the allocation of items to the Third Committee (A/C.3/73/1), the proposed organization of work (A/C.3/73/L.1/Rev.1) and documentation before the Committee (A/C.3/73/L.1/Add.1/Rev.1), as well as to the relevant recommendations contained in document A/73/250.

The Committee approved its provisional programme of work, contained in documents A/C.3/73/L.1/Rev.1 and A/C.3/73/L.1/Add.1/Rev.1.

Invitation to special procedures mandate holders of the Human Rights Council and Chairs of treaty bodies or working groups

The Chair made a statement.

The Secretary of the Committee made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Burundi, Somalia, Comoros, Egypt, Morocco, Mexico and Austria, to which the Secretary of the Committee responded.

The Committee agreed to invite special procedure mandate-holders of the Human Rights Council and chairs of treaty bodies mandated to report to the General Assembly at its seventy-third session to present their reports and interact with the Committee and decided to postpone its invitation of the Chair of the Commission of Inquiry on Burundi and the Independent Expert on the situation of human rights in Somalia.

The Committee also decided to revert to this matter at a later stage.

Programme planning - Item 137

The Chair advised the Committee that no action was expected under the item at this time.

The Committee concluded its consideration of the item.

Social development - Item 28

(a) Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly

(b) Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family

(c) Literacy for life: shaping future agendas

The Committee began its consideration of item 28 and its sub-items.

Introductory statements were made by the Under-Secretary-General for Economic and Social Affairs; the Director of the Division for Inclusive Social Development, Department of Economic and Social Affairs; the representative from United Nations Volunteers; and the representative from the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization.

Introductory statement, followed by interactive dialogue

The independent expert on the enjoyment of all human rights by older persons made an introductory statement and responded to questions posed and comments made by the

representatives of Qatar, Australia, Brazil, the European Union, Slovenia, the United Kingdom, the United States, Chile, Namibia, Argentina, Colombia and South Africa.

Organization of work

The Chair made a statement.

2nd meeting — The summary of the 2nd meeting of the Third Committee will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/191).

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Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 - 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

15:00 - 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5

High-level roundtable on "Agenda 2030 for Sustainable Development as a Catalyst for Change through Partnership: in the Run-up to the High-level Political Forum under the Auspices of the United Nations General Assembly" (A/RES/70/1) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Azerbaijan, Belarus and the Russian Federation)

10:00 - 11:30 Conference Room 8

Link: Registration

Contact: Tamara Kharashun (tamara.kharashun@gmail.com; 212-772-2354; 929-230-8517)

Briefing on the Work of the Commission on Narcotic Drugs (A/RES/72/198) (organized by the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC))

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 11

Contact: Daniel Schatz (schatz@un.org; 212-963-2667)

Event entitled "Drug-free Programs: Russian NGOs' Experience" (A/RES/S-30/1 and A/RES/72/198) (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Russian Federation)

15:00 - 16:30 Conference Room 9

Contact: Elena Mukhametzyanova (elenamfarussia@yahoo.com; 212-535-4387)

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

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Event entitled "Celebrating Older Human Rights Champions" on the occasion of the Observance of the International Day of Older Persons (1st October) (A/RES/45/106) (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), the NGO Committee on Ageing, the Group of Friends for Older Persons, the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) and the Permanent Mission of Argentina)

4 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber

Link: More information

Contact: Amine Lamrabat (lamrabat@un.org; 917-367-9456; 212-671-0279)

Briefing on the Preparations for the fourteenth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (A/RES/72/192) (co-organized by Permanent Mission of Japan and the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC))

4 October 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 12

Contact: Matteo Pasquali (pasquali@un.org; 212-963-5634)

Briefing on the work of the Inter-Agency Coordination Group Against Trafficking in Persons (ICAT) (A/RES/72/195) (co-organized by the ICAT and the Permanent Mission of Belarus)

5 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Conference Room 9

Contact: Dmitry Yarkovich (d.yarkovich@mfa.gov.by; 917-374-3327)

Panel discussion on "Reducing food waste, food policies and urban rural linkages" (on the occasion of the World Habitat Day) (A/RES/40/202) (organized by the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat), in collaboration with the James Beard Foundation and Rethink Food NYC)

5 October 2018

10:00 - 12:00 Conference Room 12

Link: United Nations Observances

Contacts: UN-Habitat New York Office (habitatny@un.org; 212-963-4200)

Panel discussion on the theme "The protection of children from bullying" (A/73/265) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Lithuania and Mexico, and the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Violence against Children)

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13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 6

Link: Website

Contact: Francisco Quesney (quesney@un.org; 917-367-6125)

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First Committee
Seventy-third session

15:00 - 18:00 Organizational meeting [webcast] Conference Room 4

To consider its provisional programme of work and timetable and indicative timetable for thematic discussions

16:00 Technical briefing

Documents: A/C.1/73/INF/1, A/C.1/73/INF/4, A/C.1/73/1, A/C.1/73/CRP.1, A/C.1/73/CRP.2 and A/C.1/73/CRP.3

Immediately following the meeting of the Committee, there will be a technical briefing by the Secretariat on the process of the programme budget implications of draft proposals and on the e-deleGATE portal, including its e-sponsorship and e-speakers tools.

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Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 11 September 2018.

The list of speakers for the general debate is open until 9 October 2018, at 18:00.

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The thematic discussions will take place from 17 October 2018 to 31 October 2018.

The list of speakers for the thematic discussions will open on 11 October 2018 and close on 22 October 2018, at 18:00.

The time limit for the thematic discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

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Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)
Seventy-third session

10:00 1st plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 4

Election of the officers of the Main Committees - Item 5

Election of the Chair of the Committee for session 73 of the General Assembly

Organization of work

Approval of programme of work

Approval of time limits for statements

Establishment of the Working Group of the Whole on outer space

Consideration of aide-memoire containing requests to petition on Non-Self-Governing Territories

The list of speakers opened on 17 September 2018, at 10:00.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Delegations are encouraged to observe the time limits of 10 minutes for statements by individual Member States and 15 minutes for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States.

The list of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Any additional queries should be directed to the secretariat of the Committee.

Documents: A/C.4/73/L.1, A/C.4/73/INF/4, A/C.4/73/1 and A/C.4/73/INF/1

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Second Committee
Seventy-third session

Organizational meeting

10:00 - 10:45 1st plenary meeting [webcast] Conference Room 2

Election of the officers of the Main Committees - Item 5

Organizational matters and conduct of work

The Committee will consider its proposed organization of work, the status of documentation, and to discuss the conduct of work of the Committee for the session.

Documents: A/C.2/73/1, A/C.2/73/L.1 and A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1 Rev.1

Followed by - 11:30 Technical briefing Conference Room 2

Programme budget review process and editorial guidelines

Immediately following the meeting of the Committee, there will be a technical briefing by the Secretariat on the process of the programme budget implications and guidelines for editing of draft proposals.

Links: e-deleGATE Portal, PaperSmart and Website

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Third Committee
Seventy-third session

10:00 - 13:00 5th meeting [webcast] Conference Room 1

Crime prevention and criminal justice - Item 109

International drug control - Item 110

Introductory statement(s), followed by question time

General discussion

15:00 6th meeting [webcast] Conference Room 1

Crime prevention and criminal justice - Item 109

International drug control - Item 110

Continuation and conclusion of the general discussion

The list of speakers for all items on the agenda of the Committee is open.

In accordance with established practice, the time limits of 5 minutes for individual Member States and 12 minutes for delegations speaking on behalf of a group of States during the general debate will be observed.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general discussion on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system.

An automated e-mail acknowledgement will be sent within one hour of receipt of the request for inscription.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are requested to contact the secretariat in writing.

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on Committee matters should be sent as soon as possible to the secretariat of the Committee.

For inclusion in the list of participants, the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the e-List of Participants module in e-deleGATE.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred. The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery. Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 20 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Statements will be made available on the Third Committee PaperSmart portal only after delivery by delegations.

Documents: A/73/131, A/73/132, A/73/133, A/73/134, A/73/136 and A/73/135

Links: e-deleGATE Portal; List of Special Procedure Mandate Holders invited to address the Third Committee in its 73rd session; Website and PaperSmart

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Sixth Committee
Seventy-third session

10:00 - 11:30 Closed meeting — Conference Room 8

Advisory Committee on the United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law

Session 53

The membership of the Committee is as follows: Argentina, Canada, Chile, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Ethiopia, France, Germany, Ghana, Italy, Kenya, Lebanon, Malaysia, Mexico, Nigeria, Pakistan, Portugal, Russian Federation, Singapore, Slovakia, Sudan, Trinidad and Tobago, United Republic of Tanzania, United States of America and Uruguay

11:30 - 13:00 3rd plenary meeting [webcast] — Trusteeship Council Chamber

15:00 - 18:00 4th plenary meeting [webcast] — Trusteeship Council Chamber

Measures to eliminate international terrorism - Item 111

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States should be submitted by their respective focal points through the e-Speakers module on the e-deleGATE portal.

For information regarding access to the e-deleGATE portal, please contact the DGACM Helpdesk.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred. The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery. Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 30 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Delegations are reminded that the names of their representatives, alternates and advisers should be submitted, as soon as possible, to the secretariat of the Committee.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are requested to contact the secretariat in writing.

Additional information is available on the Committee website.

Document: A/73/125

Links: PaperSmart and http://www.un.org/en/ga/sixth/index.shtml

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Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 - 13:00 Closed meeting — Conference Room 10

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting — Conference Room 10

Executive meeting

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

8 October 2018

10:00 — 17th plenary meeting [webcast] — General Assembly Hall

Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization - Item 112

Document: A/73/1

10 October 2018

10:00 — 18th plenary meeting [webcast] — General Assembly Hall

Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields - Item 14

Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit - Item 119

Strengthening of the United Nations system - Item 125

United Nations reform: measures and proposals - Item 126

Joint debate

Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit: specific meeting focused on development - Item 119

Documents: A/73/184, A/73/292, A/73/356 and A/73/366

First Committee

Seventy-third session

8 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 — 2nd plenary meeting [webcast] — Conference Room 4

General debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items (from 93 to 108)

The general debate on all disarmament and international security agenda items will take place from 8 October 2018 to 17 October 2018.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers are requested to do so through the e-deleGATE portal.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 11 September 2018.

The list of speakers for the general debate is open until 9 October 2018, at 18:00.

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit of *8 minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *13 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations, should be observed.

The thematic discussion will take place from 17 October 2018 to 31 October 2018.

The list of speakers for the thematic discussions will open on 11 October 2018 and close on 22 October 2018, at 18:00.

The time limit for the thematic discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Delegations wishing to reserve conference rooms for consultations during the session should contact the secretariat of the Committee.

Background information on the Committee is available and accessible to Member States and permanent observers on the First Committee Place.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred. The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery. Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 30 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

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Second Committee
Seventy-third session

8 October 2018

10:00 Substantive session [webcast] Conference Room 2

The Committee will begin its substantive work for the session.

The session will open with a keynote address followed by the opening of the general debate.

Additional information is available on Committee website.

Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers for the general debate is open.

Delegations are reminded that, during the general debate, a time limit of *seven minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *10 minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations, should be observed.

Inscription to the lists of speakers for the general discussion of individual agenda items of the Committee is also open.

The time limit for the general discussions is *five minutes* for delegations speaking in their national capacity, and *seven minutes* for those speaking on behalf of several delegations.

The lists of speakers will be prepared on the basis of these time limits.

Requests for inscription from permanent missions and observer States for the general debate on agenda items allocated to the Committee should be sent through the e-Speakers system, available as of 17 September 2018.

Intergovernmental organizations, entities that have observer status with the General Assembly, United Nations system, including funds, programmes, specialized agencies and regional commissions wishing to inscribe with the list of speakers are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Second Committee.

Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through the PaperSmart Portal should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery. PDF format is preferred. The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be posted on the PaperSmart portal after delivery. Delegations are kindly reminded to provide 25 hard copies of the text for the technical services no later than *one hour* before delivery of the statement.

Members, as well as observers, are requested to register the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers through the e-List of Participants module on the e-deleGATE portal.

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on Committee matters should be sent as soon as possible, but no later than 17:00 of the day before the meeting, to the secretariat of the Committee.

Documents: A/C.2/73/1, A/C.2/73/L.1and A/C.2/73/L.1/Add.1/Rev.1

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Fifth Committee
Seventy-third session
(9 October to 14 December 2018)

9 October 2018

10:00 Conference Room 3

The Committee will hold its first meeting on 9 October 2018, at 10:00, in the Conference Room 3.

The Committee will first consider the organization of its work and the allocation of agenda items.

The provisional programme of work of the Committee for the session as well as background information on the Committee and links to official documentation to be considered are available on the Committee's website.

The list of speakers for the general discussion on all agenda items before the Committee is open.

Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list are kindly requested to contact the secretariat of the Committee in writing.

The composition of delegations, names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be registered through the "e-List of participants" module on the e-deleGATE secure portal.

Links: Website and e-deleGATE Portal

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

8 October 2018

10:00 – 13:00 Briefing Conference Room 3

Briefing on the nexus between international terrorism and transnational organized crime

Open to Member and Observer States, members of the media including photographers with valid accreditation, United Nations staff and interns, United Nations entities, intergovernmental organizations, and specialized agencies, as well as invited guests with a valid United Nations grounds pass.

Additional information is available on the website of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism.

Link: Website

Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 2 October 2018

General Assembly

Seventy-third session

Third Committee

Seventy-third session

[archived video]

2nd meeting

Social development - Item 28

(a) Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly

(b) Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family

(c) Literacy for life: shaping future agendas

The Committee began its general discussion of item 28 and heard statements by the representatives of Egypt (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Morocco (on behalf of the Group of African States), Saint Lucia (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), Namibia (on behalf of the Southern African Development Community), Malaysia (on behalf of the Association of Southeast Asian Nations), the European Union, Guatemala (on behalf of the Group of Friends of Older Persons, composed of Argentina, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, the Dominican Republic, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Indonesia, Kenya, Malaysia, Mexico, Panama, Peru, Qatar, Slovenia, South Africa, Trinidad and Tobago, Turkey and Uruguay), Finland, Austria, Switzerland, Kenya, Slovenia, the Netherlands, Saudi Arabia, Cuba, Japan, Peru, Iraq, Pakistan, the Russian Federation, Viet Nam, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Eritrea, the Philippines, Ghana, Brunei Darussalam, India, Egypt, Turkey and Hungary.

Organization of work

The Chair made a statement.

Wednesday, 3 October 2018

Security Council

[archived video]

8364th meeting

Briefings by Chairs of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council

The Council observed a minute of silence in memory of the victims of the earthquake and tsunami in Sulawesi, Indonesia.

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a joint statement by the President (Bolivia) speaking on behalf of: the Security Council Committee pursuant to

resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities; the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism; and the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004).

The Council heard briefings by His Excellency Kairat Umarov (Kazakhstan), Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999), 1989 (2011) and 2253 (2015) concerning Islamic State in Iraq and the Levant (Da'esh), Al-Qaida and associated individuals, groups, undertakings and entities; by His Excellency Gustavo Meza-Cuadra (Peru), Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism; and by the President speaking in his capacity as Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004).

Statements were made by the representatives of United States, the Netherlands, Kuwait, France, Côte d'Ivoire, Equatorial Guinea, China, Ethiopia, Sweden, Poland, United Kingdom and Russian Federation.

8365th meeting

Maintenance of international peace and security

Report of the Secretary-General pursuant to Security Council resolution 2380 (2017) (S/2018/807)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representatives of Belgium, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Libya, Malta, Slovakia, Slovenia and Spain to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2018/887, submitted by Belgium, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Malta, the Netherlands, Poland, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, and the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2018/887) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2018/887) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions, and was adopted unanimously as resolution 2437(2018).

After the vote, statements were made by the representatives of France and the United Kingdom.

8366th meeting

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Her Excellency Ambassador Joanna Wronecka, Permanent Representative of Poland, in her capacity as chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan.

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3rd meeting

Social development - Item 28

(a) Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development and of the twenty-fourth special session of the General Assembly

(b) Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family

(c) Literacy for life: shaping future agendas

The Committee continued its general discussion of item 28 and heard statements by the representatives of Israel, Romania, Mexico, Brazil, Colombia, Norway, Germany, the Dominican Republic, the United States, Sweden, El Salvador, Kazakhstan, Paraguay, Indonesia, Poland, Ecuador, Jamaica, Argentina, Georgia, China, Ireland, Afghanistan, Italy, Singapore, Algeria, Qatar, Bulgaria, Australia, Maldives, the Republic of Korea, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Thailand, Slovakia, Czech Republic, Libya, Zambia and Belgium.

A statement was also made by the observer of the Holy See.

Organization of work

The Chair made a statement.

4th meeting

The summary of the 4th meeting of the Third Committee will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/192).

Sixth Committee

Seventy-third session

[archived video]

1st-2nd plenary meeting

The summary of the 1st and 2nd meetings of the Sixth Committee will appear in the next issue of the Journal (No. 2018/192).

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Other meetings

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Thursday, 4 October 2018

Group of 77 (on Third Committee and related matters)

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting — Conference Room 8

Group of 77 (On Second Committee and Related Matters)

15:00 - 18:00 Closed meeting — Conference Room D

Event entitled "Celebrating Older Human Rights Champions" on the occasion of the Observance of the International Day of Older Persons (1st October) (A/RES/45/106) (co-organized by the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA), the NGO Committee on Ageing, the Group of Friends for Older Persons, the Office of the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) and the Permanent Mission of Argentina)

10:00 – 13:00 — Economic and Social Council Chamber

Link: More information

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African Group (on Third Committee related matters)

13:15 - 14:30 Closed — Conference Room 5

Arab Group (Expert-level meeting on First Committee matters)

13:15 - 14:30 Closed — Conference Room E

Briefing on the Preparations for the fourteenth United Nations Congress on Crime Prevention and Criminal Justice (A/RES/72/192) (co-organized by Permanent Mission of Japan and the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC))

13:15 - 14:30 — Conference Room 12

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

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www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp

Forthcoming informal meetings

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Forthcoming other meetings

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Briefing on the work of the Inter-Agency Coordination Group Against Trafficking in Persons (ICAT) (A/RES/72/195) (co-organized by the ICAT and the Permanent Mission of Belarus)

5 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Conference Room 9

Contact: Dmitry Yarkovich (d.yarkovich@mfa.gov.by; 917-374-3327)

Panel discussion on "Reducing food waste, food policies and urban rural linkages" (on the occasion of the World Habitat Day) (A/RES/40/202) (organized by the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat), in collaboration with the James Beard Foundation and Rethink Food NYC)

5 October 2018

10:00 - 13:00 Conference Room 12

Link: United Nations Observances

Contacts: UN-Habitat New York Office (habitatny@un.org; 212-963-4200)

Panel discussion on the theme "The protection of children from bullying" (A/73/265) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Lithuania and Mexico, and the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Violence against Children)

8 October 2018

13:15 - 14:30 Conference Room 6

Link: Website

Contact: Francisco Quesney (quesney *at* un org; 917-367-6125)

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